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Takatoshi HAMADA

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For: IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS USING A
SINGLE OPTICAL FIBER TO TRANSMIT
ELECTRICAL SIGNALS (as amended)

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is in response to the non-final Office Action dated August 22, 2003. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims, as amended, in light of the remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.

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